



Private Augustus William WINN

2535 1st/4th Battalion Yorkshire Light Infantry

Killed in action 4 July 1916 aged 25

Commemorated Thiepval Memorial, France Piers & Panels 11C & 12A

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 7C-021

Personal History

Augustus William WINN was born at Wakefield, Yorkshire in 1891 the son of Joseph and Louisa WINN nee FIRTH who were married 06/10/1872 at St. Matthias, Burley, Yorkshire. His father died in 1895. His mother died in 1895.

In the 1911 census the family were living at 12, Gaskell Street, Lowfield Lane, Wakefield, Yorkshire,. He was aged 19 with the occupation of Railway Number Taker.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 7. Kimberley Street, Sandal Magna, Wakefield, Yorkshire,. He was aged 9

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Chief Goods Managers Dept. at Wakefield as a Shunter

Service History

He enlisted in the Yorkshire Light Infantry at Wakefield, Yorkshire. and embarked for France on 13 April 1915. His last known address was Wakefield, Yorkshire, Lowfield Lane, Gaskell Street, 12 (1911 Census).

He is recorded as Killed in action on 4 July 1916 aged 25

He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal & 1914-15 Star

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